## SCUPPERNONG GRAPE IS WONDERFUL FRUIT

Virginia and the Carolinas, Where It Reaches Perfection, Rail to Supply Demand.

CHANCE FOR BIG PROFITS

With Lands Offered at Reasonable Prices, Vineyards Soon Should Prove Path to Independence-Acre Income From \$800 to \$1,200.

The States of Virginia and North and South Carolina have a valuable grape in the scuppernong. It reaches its greatest perfection in the eastern countles, bordering the Atlantic, and the Sounds of Albemarle and Pamlico, where the soll and climate seem particularly favorable for its cultivation. It has been tried with indifferent sucess in many other States. Even in California repeated plantings prove the vine has no liking for the conditions

vine has no liking for the conditions found there, and, vice versa, the vine-fere of California, in the home of the scuppernong have falled, although they have occupied the attention of horticulturists for nearly a century.

The vine grows quickly, is long-lived, hardy and vigorous, and is almost immune from disease. It is the largest domestic grape known, often measuring two and a half to three inches in circumference. The skin is thick and tough, but the fruit is soft and juicy, with a luscious flavor peculiarly its tenant Leigh Noyes, U. S. N.

Watch Party.

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popular as a table grape, and as a
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music and singing amused the guests,
who were invited to watch the old year
out and the new year in.

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For the first two or three years the land between the rows can be used for other crops, such as peas, cotton or tobacco, and any of these will be beneficial to the vines, if not planted too close.

July to make their future home.

Classes Resumed.

Miss Ella Binford, who has been unwell for some time at her apartment, in the Chesterfield, will resume her classes at her studio on Monday after-

(Continued from Second Page.) prominent society folks here who ride

in the hunts in Virginia.

Mrs. Daniels Receives.

Mrs. Josephus Daniels, assisted by Mrs. Edward W. Eberle and Mrs. George Barnett, received the guests at the ball given Wednesday evening in the sail loft of the Navy Yard, Washington, for the benefit of the Navy Relief Society, which was one of the gayest of the holiday balls, and attracted a large attendance. A buffet supper was served during the evening, and dancing continued until a late hour. The hop room was gaily decorated with flags, and flag-draped boxes lined the walls.

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The Assistant Secretary of the Navy

Captain and Mrs. John Hood and Rear Admiral and Mrs. Watts.
Rear Admiral and Mrs. Clover had with them in their box the Misses Clover and Miss Draper. Rear Admiral and Mrs. Brownson had with them Commander and Mrs. Hussey

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Commander Chester Wells, U. S. A., was chairman of the floor committee, and made the presentations. Assisting him on the floor committee were Lieutenant D. A. Weaver, U. S. N.; Commander George W. Steele, U. S. N.; Captain H. F. Wirgman, U. S. M. C.; Lleutenant Todd, U. S. N.; Captain Theodore Jewell, U. S. N.; Captain Ridley McLean, U. S. N.; Lieutenant Commander Dinger, U. S. N.; Lieutenant Lee, U. S. N.; Lieutenant Fay, U. S. N.; delatone. U. S. N.; Lieutenant Fay, U. S. N.; delatone.

## Big Profits in Delicious Grape



Scuppernong Grape Vine on Roanoke Island-N.C.

GREAT YIELDS COME
FROM THRIFTY VINES
With care and cultivation a thrifty vine will produce more than double the amount of fruit and wine per acre of any other grape in the world.

It is estimated that from vines five years old an income of from \$200 to \$400 per acre can be secured, while more than double that amount can be depended on in ten or twelve years.

Good grape-growing farms can be bought to-day in Eastern North Carolina and Virginia very reasonably, and we have shown that in fiften years a five-acre farm should yield an income of \$5.000 to \$5.000 or \$10.000 a year, on an average, allowing for large or small yield, according to favorable or unfavorable seasons. The fruit makes a clear, light wine of very delicate flavor, and, as before stated, the demand so far exceeds the supply that the product of a vineyard is engaged in advance from year to year.

The possibilities are immense under present conditions. It is a crop that nover falls, and the cost of cultivation, compared with tobacco, cotton, peanuts and corn, is trifling.

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## IN AND OUT OF TOWN.

Miss Isabelle Middleton, of Washington, is the guest of her cousin, Miss Martha Robinson, on West Franklin

Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Reily and their family have recently moved into their new home on Park Avenue. Miss Clara Lumpkin, of 1921 Floyd Avenue, is spending the week-end with Mrs. Lawton at her home in Powhatan

Miss Louise Brockman, of Orange,

### No Trouble to Remove Superfluous Hair

Lieutenant Iseman, U. S. N., and Lieu-tenant Leigh Noyes, U. S. N.

Watch Party.

Who has been a guest at the home of G. S. Whitlock, of Louisa County, is now visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W.

Cleveland Humphreys, Ernest Bass and William Jones have returned from a hunting trip with John Bruce Glenn Sherman Neale was home for the holidays.

very enjoyable dance at Mrs. Moor

man's.

Miss Blanchard, of Bristol, is the holiday guest of Miss Louise Williams.

Miss Maggle Ribble, who is attending Cornell University, is visiting her

## WILLIAM STATE OF THE STATE OF T John L. Ratcliffe 209 West Broad Street.

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VARIETY

QUALITY STYLL

Correspondents All Over the World.

father, Dr. W. H. Ribble.

Mrs. Julien Gravely and little son, of Boston, have arrived, and will spend some time with Mrs. Thomas R. Dew. Miss Lelia Dew has returned from a visit to friends in Brookline, Mass.

Braxton Dew, a pupil of the McGuire School, is at his home for the holidays.

Miss Willie Withers left this week or a visit to Mrs. Roberts and other

friends in Richmond. friends in Richmond.

Among the students who are at home for the holidays are Misses Virginia Thomas, Gipsy Johnson, Helen Gray, of the State Normal School at Farmville; Hontis Williams, of Virginia College; Evelyn Harrison, of Hollins; Norma Terry, of Chatham, and Jane Byrd Pendleton, of Randolph-Macon Woman's College.

Miss Annie Powell has returned from Farmville to spend the holidays at home.

E. M. Eubank, of Washington, has all present.
een spending the week with his parOn Thursday night the annual ball been spending the week with his parents. On Thursday night the annual ball ents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Eubank, near took place in the new building adjoin-

with her mother, Mrs. S. H. Goodloe, on Main Street. G. H. Thomas and family have re-

turned to their home in Roanoke, after spending some days with relatives in South Gordonsville. Miss Mary Curd left this week to spend some time with her friend, Mrs. A. L. Seibert, in Roanoke.

### HEATHVILLE

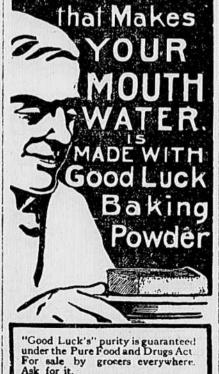
Mr. and Mrs. Parsons and their children, of Richmond, have been visiting in Nelson County.

E. W. Bayne, of North Carolina, joined his family in this city for the holidays.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

HEATHSVILLE. VA., January 2.—

Miss Minnie Travis, of Bristol, Tenn., spent the holidays with the Misses Dameron M. Kinsale and Charlotte Rice, in Heathsville.



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## DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Attorney-General Pollard Is Honored Guest of Leading Citizens of West Point.

Thomas, Glays Johnson, Helen Gray of the State Normal School at Farm, ville; Honis Williams, of Virginia College. Every in Harrison, of Hollings, Markey College. Every in Harrison, of Hollings, Markey College. Markey Colle Alfred Martin, in the city.

Miss Vernelle Detter, of Richmond, has been spending the week with her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Smith, at "Mountain View," her home near town.

L. E. Hopper, of Charlottesville, spent several days this week in the city as the guest of his sister, Mrs. E.

W. Bowen.

E. M. Eubank, of Washington, has doodward, as toastmaster, did himself and the club great credit in his introduction of the speakers, Messrs, Pollard, H. I. Lewis, Dr. W. E. Evans and several members of the club. The banquet, served by the club's own chef, was perfect in all of its appointments. Six courses were served. Fine music all through the evening added very much to the pleasure of the guests and all present.

town.

J. F. W. Ruffin, of Petersburg, was the guest several days this week of his family at Spring Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Goodloe have returned from a visit to relatives and friends in Norfolk.

Miss Bettle Faulconer, who is teaching near Culpeper, this session, has been spending the Christmas holidays with her sister. Mrs. S. A. Martin.

Leslie Ford, of Richmond, has been spending the week with his aunt, Mrs.

E. L. Preddy, in S. A. Martin.

Santa Claus has been very much in evidence every much in every m

All Garments

This Season's

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and his friends, a beautiful party, and the young people danced to their heart's

eral days' visit to his old home, near Roxbury, Charles City County. While away Mrs. Nance and children have been visiting Mrs. Nance's mother, Mrs.

Thomas P. Bagby.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neustadt, of the Buckhouse Farm, New Kent, spent a part of Christmas in New York with relatives. Mr. Neustadt has returned. Mrs. Neustadt and children will remain for several weeks.

Ed Morritz has been for a week or nore with his family in Baltimore. more with his family in Ba where his wife is still very ill.

### SUFFOLK

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
SUFFOLK, VA., January 2.—Mrs.
Sue Holland, Miss Susie Holland, Hertert, Charles and Harvey Holland have
concluded a visit to Mrs. Harry Trotman, of Churchland.
Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ramsey, of

with her sister. Mrs. S. A. Martin.

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E. L. Preddy, in South Gordonaville.

Mrs. Parrish and children, of Richmond, have been spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. S. H. Goodlee, on Main Street.

Mrs. Arthur Jordan, of New York, is visiting Sunfolk relatives.

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Mrs. Howard Ramsey, of Norfolk, have concluded a visit to Surfolk relatives.

Miss Lyce Rose, of Sunfolk, is the guest of Miss Katherine Gardner.

Arthur Jordan, of New York, is visiting Sunfolk relatives.

Victor Brown is the guest of Sunfolk lotte Hotel on Tuesday evening.

the young people danced to their heart's content.

Burnett Lewis and family, from Sumter, S. C., have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Lewis during Christmas. Mr. Lewis left for the South on Sunday afternoon. His family remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Frank Diuguid, of Lynchburg, who was one of the spring brides, having then, as Miss Jessie Denmead, married Mr. Diuguid, of Lynchburg, spent the holidays with her relatives here.

Benjamin Gary, wife and son, visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gare the holidays returned to Norfolk after a visit to relatives.

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Miss Kate Brinkley and Mrs. C. C. Brinkley are visiting friends in Port Norfolk.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Balley returned

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Roy Lyle, of Hampden-Sidney College, is visiting at the home of Mrs. R. E. Pettus.

Miss Louise Brown, of Lynchburg, is spending the holidays with Mrs. R. E. Pettus.

There was a dance at the town hall on Friday evening, given by the young men of Keysville. Music was furnished by the Danville Orchestra. The Social Club met at the home of Mrs. L. A. Spencer on Monday after-

Finneywood, are the guests of Miss Ann Pettus.

The Masons and the Eastern Star

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